ST. ALBANS, VT.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1868.

Travelers' Guide.

ARBIVAL OF PASSENGER TRAINS. From the South and East, 5,48 a. m., 11,15 a.n. From Rouse's Point and West, 7,20 a. m., 11, 50 a. m., 650 p. m. From Montreal, 11 45 a. m., 645 p. m.

DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS. For the South and East, 620, a.m., 120 m. 7 20 p. m. For Rouse's Point and West, 605 a.m. 2 15

For Montreal, 6 10 a. m., 6 55 p. m.

DAILT ARRIVAL OF STAGES AT ST. ALBANS.

From Sweetsburgh and Franklin, 700 p. m. From Bichford and Sheldon, 500 p. m. From Sheldon, 1000 a. m. From Bakersfield, 1100 a. m. DAILY DEPARTURE OF STAGES FROM ST. ALBANS.

For Franklin and Sweetsburgh, 7 30 a. m. For Sheldon and Richford, 8 30 a. m.

For Sheldon, 2 00 p. m.
For Bakersfield, 1 00 p. m.
Stages call at the several hotels in town. Stage offices at the Tremont House. CLOSING OF THE MAILS.

Mails for New York close at 5 00 a. m. and 7 00 p. m. Mails for Boston close at 5 a. m. and 630 p.m. Mails for Albany and the West close at 5 00 a.m. Mails for Canada close at 5 00 a.m. Southern and Northern way mail close at 5 00

Strangers' Guide.

THEY. M. C. A. meets every Monday evening at their rooms over Wm. N. Smith's Store,

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Champlain Chapter No. 1, R. A. M. meets the third Wednesday evening in each month, at their hall in Wheeler's block, Main Street.

Columbus Council No. 1, R. & S. M. meets the second Wednesday evening in each month, at their hall in Wheeler's Block.

Franklin Lodge No. 4, F. & A. M., meets the direct the second wednesday evening in each month at their hall in Union Block, Main Street.

Englesby Lodge No. 84 F. & A. M. meets the fourth Wednesday evening in each month, at their hall in Union Block, Main Street.

Crystal Fountain, Temple of Honor No. 4 meets every Tuesday evening at their Hall in Barnes Block, Lake Street.

St. Albans Lodge No. 32, I. O. of G. T. meets every Friday evening at their Hall in Barnes Block, Lake Street.

Rising Sun Lotge No. 8 I. O. of G. T. meets every Saturday evening, at St. Albans Bay.

St. John the Baptist Benevolent Society (Canadian) meets on the first and third Wednesday evening of each month at their hall over E. H

evening of each month at their hall over E. H. Muntington's Store.

To Advertisers .- The VERMONT DAILY TRANS CRIPT has the largest circulation in St. Albans and in Franklin County, of any daily paper, and is on that account, if no other, the best medium for advertising.

Local Items.

OUR DAILY .- Those wishing to secure copies of our daily paper can do so at Merrifield's and Baker's bookstores, as well as of carriers, and at the office. Copies of our weekly paper may also be had at these places.

THE WELDEN HOUSE,-We undertand that the Welden House is soon to be closed for repairs, and will remain closed during the winter.

following persons Deputies : T. B. Mar- every evening, and the literary exercivin, Swanton ; Julius Halbert, Fairfax ; ses and discussions are of great interest E. C. Soule, Fairfield.

Customs .- During the month of October, 1868, there was collected at the Custom House, St. Albans, \$15,694.14, during the month of November \$15,-203,21, making a total of gold duties collected for the two months of \$30,897 .-

The amount of duties collected at other ports in the United States, on mer- mercial, political, literary, religious, of chandise bonded from St. Albans during whatever sect, party, or authorship, all the month of October, 1868, was \$132,-146,07, and during the month of Nov. was \$8,979 61, making a total of 141,125,-68 for the two months. The who'e pecuniary position to advertising alone! amount of duties collected, upon mer- How many plucky firms are taking the chandise imported at St. Albans, for the lead, monopolizing certain lines of busmonths of October and November 1868, is \$172,023,03.

ARRIVALS AT AMEICALN HOUSE, the world, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 2d 1868:

S. R. Wheeler. Gloversville; W. B. Robinson, Troy, N. Y.; Samuel Had- We refer to the house of J. R. Barrett & sell, Avon, Ct.; C G Blake, Swanton Co., of this city, the gentlemanly and Vt.; John Willey, F W McCottruck, B popular proprietors of that indispensable S Bowers, F N Johnson, High gate,; article known as "Barre t's Vegetable Mrs. L Davis, Highgate,; Benj A Davis, Hair Restorative." Two years ago this Taunton, Mass.; Ammasa Payne, Low- preparation was scarcely known outside ell, Vt.; S P Carpenter, Righford, Vt, of this section; to-day there is not a H Sovenier, Boston, Mass.; Thomas city, town, or borough this side of the Bowles, Burlington, Vt.; H H Parker, Pacific where this excellent "Renewer" W Merriden, Ct.; J H Brease, Troy, N is not known and appreciated, and is, Y .; Franklin Tyler, Decalb, N Y .; 8 we learn, rapidly supplant ngall others. P Basford, Milton, Vt.

ARRIVALS THURSDAY, DEC. 3d, 1868. real merit, and is far removed from the Geo. Stevens. Georgia,; W B An- thousands of vile nostrums which condrews, and wife, Ohio,; Mrs. H T. Wight- s antly flood every market. It also reman, R A Wightman, Ohio; A. Whit- ceived the endorsement of the Agriculney, Lowell; J H Stufflebean, Sheldon; Fred. w Smith, Rochester, NY: W D Westlake, Buffalo; E C Soule, Foirfield; given in the line of patent remedies. Yet "Barrett's Hair Restorative" owns E E Yates, N Y; Francis Livingston, its success and present position in a Asa Colton, Franklin, Vt.; J Fish, Jr., great degree to advertising. Horace Draper, Sheldon.

VT. EL CTORAL COLLEGE.—The Vermont Presidential Electors met at Montpelier on Tuesday, and after organizing by the choice of Hon, G. W. 3randy as chairman and Col. Geo. A. Merrill as Secretary, adjourned until Wednesday, when they met and cast

Vermont Daily Transcript. ate, and the third delivered to Hon. Geo. W. Grandey, who was appointed by the Board to carry it to Washington and deliver to the President of the Senate next, before the first Wednesday of January

> THE price to be paid for a monument by the Messrs. Myers for their father is \$1000-\$900 more than was stated in yesterday's TRANSCRIPT.

M. E. CHURCH.-We understand that increasing religons interest is being Washington, and his report is in the manifested in the Methodist E. Church hands of the printers. in this village. At the Quarterly Meeting last Sunday, seven members were Coleridge's works. received into full communion.

Masonic.

At a regular conclave of Lafayette Commandery, No. 3, held at Swanton, Tuesday, Dec. 1st, 1868, the following officers were duly elected and installed for the ensuing year, viz.:

Sir Geo M Hall, Swanton, E C Sir Danford Mort, Rouse's Point, N

Sir Albert B Jewett, Swanton, C G Sir Henry Carlisle, Sheldon, Prelate. Sir Valentine G Barney, Swanton, S.

Sir John A Fitch, Highgate, J W. Sir James Platt, Swanton, Treasurer. Sir Dana J Morrill, " Rec.

Sir James M Seavey, St Albans, Sword Bearer. Sir Park Davis, St Albans, Sword

Bearer. Sir Homer C Jennison, Highgate, Warder.

Sir Wilber H Bliss, Swanton, Sent. Sir Sumner H Jennison, Swanton, Dollar. Every Druggist sells it. Capt 1st G.

Sir Micagoh T Mott, Alburgh, Capt 2d G.

Sir Merritt Barnes, Bakersfield, Capt 3rd G.

Sir Lucius R Parker, Kichford, Mar. will be delivered by Henry Clark, G W Secretary of the Grand Lodge for the State of Vermont.

CHRISTMAS BALL.-There is to be a Christmas Ball at E. H. Beal's Hotel, Bakersfield, on Friday evening, Dec. 25. Music ; Isham's Band.

I. O. G. T .- The Hydepark Lodge of Good Templars is in thriving condition. best imported German Cologue, and Initiations take place every other week | sold at half the price. and the alternate is to be devoted to literary exercises and discussions.

Shekirr Place has appointed the dition. Initiations take place nearly and Musk Melons. speakers and writers.

Advertising and its Results.

No better means to nake one's goods, wares, and mer handise, and their particular merits, known to the world, has ever been discovered than through the medium of newspapers. Whether comhave their circulation and influence. How many sneessful business men could be enumerated who owe their bigh incss, simply by judicious a ivertising! There is not in existence an article of value that is not worth publishing to

We have now in mind one firm of which we can speak with certainty. To be sure, this preparation possesse tural Society in 1866, which awarded its highest premium (a silver medal) ever

Manufacturers and proprietors of any article of merit should not fail to resort to timely and judicious advertising, that they may not only reap its benefits, but at the same time confer a priceless gift upon the community at large by the introduction of their happy and valuable discoveries, -- Manchester (N. H.) Merror.

heir five votes for Grant and Colfax. sold by most of our Druggists and Mer-Renne's Pain-Killing Magie Oil is Phies certificates thereof were made, chants, and has become ast indardartic's

Personal.

Dumas is to visit America in May

Congressman Schenck is to establish a new paper at Dayton, with a capital of

Gen. O. O. Howard has declined the Presidency of Union College.

Weston commenced his five-thousand mile walk on Tuesday.

Commissioner Rollins has returned to

Swinburne is editing an edition of

Dan Rice has purchased the Girard Pa.) Crisis, and is to enlarge it.

The American Minister to Spain-Hon. John P. Hale-is in Paris consulting physicians in regard to his failing health.

An Exchange says that Reverdy Johnson has 40 grandchildren.

D: J. H. Leonard left St. Albans on Thursday for Florida, where he intends | \$6.50 to \$6.00 a yard. to spend the winter for the benefit of his

Longfellow is at Genoa.

E. F. Perkins, Esq., and family leave St. Albans to-morrow for New York, to take the steamer Alaska, which sails from there for San Francisco on the 9th inst. Mr. P. leaves behind him numerous friends who wish him a prosperous

WHAT MAKES YOUR HAIR SO BEAUTIFUL? MRS. S. A. ALLEN'S IMPROVED (new style) HAIR RESTORER or DRESSING, (in one bottle.) Price One

"Their name is Legion," may be applied to the innumerable diseases to which the skin is subject. It would be well for those who are afflicted with apparently incurable ulcers, old sores, ery-Orleans Lodge, No. 55, will dedicate sipelas and eruptions, to use Grace's their new hall, in Barton village, on Celebrated Salve, which cures in a very Thursday, the 17th inst. The address short time, cuts, burns scalls, flesh wounds, &c.

CALISAYA BARK .- It is said that Messrs. Drake & Co., (proprietors of the Plantation Bitters) are the largest importers of Calisaya Bark in this country, and that, with the exception of an occasional sale, all they import is used in the compounding of their celebrated Plantation Bitters,—to which they undoubtedly are indebted for their wonderful health-restoring properties. As a MR. C. A. GRANT, of Eden, was struck senseless, and seriously injured, by boys coasting, on the 28th ult.

doubtedly are indebted for their wonder ful health-restoring properties. As a Tonic and Ap etizer, they are not surpassed, and we cheerfully recommend them All first-class Druggists keep them for sale. them for sale.

MAGNOLIA WATER .- Superior to the

FULTON MARKET.-Just received, The Montpelier Journal is informed nice lot Dried Beef, Sugar Cured Hams, that the Lodge of Good Templars in Bologna Sausage, Sweet Potatoes, Tothat village are also in a thriving con- matoes, Pears, Peaches, Water Melons

One of the few things that the North to all. The Order has many excellent and Sonth will probably ever fully agree upon is that "Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative" is not only the best preventive to the hair falling out, but also the finest dressing ever before the public. It richly deserves the "Silver Medal" awarded by the New Hampshire State Fair .- Dubuque Times.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING!

Do not delay, but call at once at

HUNTING TON'S!

And select your PRESENTS from the

largest and best variety

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You will all find

Just the thing you want

If you call Now. se Engraving done in the best manner. To

AFTER GRANT, WHAT?

A NEW and BETTER way in the One Dollar Sale Trade.

No Tickets to buy.

Get any article you want. Agents paid better, with half the trouble, de-lay and expense than by the old system.

Our Circular will explain the NEW METHOD, Send and get one, to

J. E. AUSTIN & BRO. 48 Hanover Street, Boston, Mass.

one of which was given to the Judge of the United States District Court for the District of Vermont, another mailed to the President of the United States Sential States Se

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AMERICAN GROS GRAIN INSURANCE AGENCY

Black Silk.

For sale at \$2.30 a yard, by

THE usual price of these goods is \$2.50 a yard, and after my present supply is exhausted I do not expect to be able to seil them at the present low price; therefore those intending to purchase such a dress will go well to occure a pattern at once. I also have a handsome stock of Imported Black Silks, among which are some very heavy goods which I shall sell at very cheap prices. My stock of SHAWLS is very complete, consisting of Long and Square PAISLEY SHAWLS, and a full assortment of WOOLEN SHAWLS of various styles and qualities at prices which ought to satisfy every reasonable person. THE usual price of these goods is \$2.50 a yard.

CLOAKING! CLOAKING!!

In full assortment. We call particular at:ention to our Sen. Skin Cloaking as being very warm, handsome and durable for a low priced article. We also have some extra quality Glack Moscow Beaver Cl.th, worth from

UNDER GARMENTS!

I have a large and complete assortment of Merino, Cashmere and Saxony Wool UNDER-SHIRTS and DRAWERS, for Gentlemen, Ladies and Children of all sizes, styles, and qualities, and at very moderate prices.

In addition I nave my customary full assortment of nice Dress Goods, Fianels, Bian-kets, Balmo at Skirts Furniture Cover-

Ings (used for curtains) Housekeeping Goods, Domest es, &c., &c. N. B.—Have a 14 cent Brown Cotton, selling

at 121 cents. An inspection of goods and Prices is respectfully solicited. Careful attention given to EDWARD BARLOW,

Burlington, Dec. 1, 1868. d169 v245-tr FOR the BEST MACHINES in the WORLD Inquire of

BLAKE & WILSON,

Swanton, Vermont, Agents for Frankiin and Grand Isle Counties, for the

WHEELER & WILSON Silent Feed , Lock Stitch Sewing Machine.

-ALSO-RETAIL dealers in Shelf Hardware, Table and Parket Cutlery, Glass Ware, I'm Ware, Wooden Ware and Willow Ware, Fancy Goods, St ves, Stove Pipes, and Hollow Ware.

Iro a, Steel, Nails, G'ass, Putty, &c.
TERMS: - CASH, or ready pay.

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DISOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP in the Insurance business heretofore existing between Dewey and Noble, and S. K. Goldsmith, under the firm name of Dewey, Noble & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

DEWEY & NOBLE.
S. K. GOLDSMITH.
St. Albans, Vt., August I, 1868

CALL and see the best Stock of Clothing, Hats and Caps and Furnishing Goods in the WM N. SMITH, & CO. SMITH & CO'S for Busines

I snits of all kinds. A LL the new styles of Furs and Scarfs no opened at WM, N. SMITH, & CO'S.

(TENT'S SHAWLS Just received at WM. N. SMITH, & CO.

BOYS Over Coats of all kinds at WM, N. SMITH, & CO'S. PANTS and Vests of all kinds just arrived at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

A NEW Supply of Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, &c., just received at GREEN & NICHOLS, No. 1, Lake Street,

GO to WM, N.SMITH, & CO's for good Clothing cheap.

SACK COATS FOR SPRING, go to WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

YOUTH'S CLOTHING of all kinds cheap at WM. N. SMITH, & CO'S. TMOSPHERIC ODORATOR, the neatest A article ever invented for Perfuming sici

OVERCUATS of all kinds, and cheap wm, N. SMITH & CO'S. DLAID WOOL SHIRTS in large variety styles, nowopening at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

FOR ONE DOLLAR!

WE SELL DRESS PATTERNS, PANT Pat-terns, Webs, Cotton Cloth, Shawis, Carterns, Webs, Cotton Cloth, Shawis, Carpetings, Sheetings, Dry and Fancy Goods, &c., &c. Circulars Sent Free, giving full particulars; or Twelve Checks sent for One Dollar, lescribing twelve different articles which we will sell for One Dollar Each.

Ladies and gentlemen wanted as Agents, to whom the most liberal inducements are offered, and satisfaction guaranteed in all cases. CHAS, LETTS & CO.,

Manufacturers' Agents, Yoston Mas

WANTED.—An Agent to make a thorough canvass of Franklin County in behalf of that old and reliable Life Insurance Company,

The Phœnix Mutual, of Hartford Conn. Liberal terms to an active, energetic man. Address. N. G. AXTELL, Peru, Clinton Co., N. Y. General Agent for NorthernNew York and Ver-

CROCKERY! CROCKERY

I have just received a large lot of first and second quality of Stone and China Ware, comprising two New and Elegant Patterns called "Gen. Grant" Patterns. Also a large stock of Cutlery, Glass and Stone Ware, which I offer for sale cheap. Please call and see before purchasing elsewhere.

At the old Farrar Block, one door north of George H. Farrar's.

P. G. SKINNER

P. G. SKINNER. St. Albans, Oct 24th, 1866. 136-11 IMPORTANT TO SOLDIERS THEIR WIDOWS.

THOSE INTERESTED ARE HEREBY notified that I am agent to transact all business pertaining to pensions, bounties and back pay. Claims of the above nature can be presented, and their allowances obtained, by appyling to WM, BRIDGES.

MYRON BUCK'S

ST. ALBANS, VT.

HOME INSURANCE CO., New Haven, Conn.

Edward Barlow, Burlington, Vt. Capital, \$1,000,000. Surplus, \$6 9,070, 4 VATIONAL INSURANCE CO.

> Boston, Mass. apiral, \$300,000. Surplus, \$450,000. INTERNATIONAL INSURACE CO.,

New York. Capital, \$300,000. Surplus, \$401,805 92

GUARDIAN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. New York.

Assetts, over ETNA LIVE STOCK INSURANCE CO., Hartford, Conn.

ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY AD-JUSTED AND PAID.

AM in receipt of 200 to 300 bris. of FLOUR per week, and my facilities are such that 1 can supply the trade on as

FLOUR.

Good Terms

as any other party or parties (as my flour pays no tribute to middle men, nor 20c, per barrel to drummers), with Superfine and Extra Flour, made from Milwaukee Club Wheat, by car-load frauds.

WINTER WHEAT FLOURS, from good to very choice, in full supply. Corn for sale at all times. Cash paid for Wool and Sheep Pelts.

most hearty thanks for the very liberal patronage I have received since I commenced business, and hope for a continuance of the sai J. J. BURGESS. St. A!bans, Oct. 21, 1868.

The American Cooking Stove Again in Court!

United States Court, Dis't of N.Y., 1 ALBANY, Oct. 17, 1868.

JACOB H. SHEAR & JOS. PACKARD,

ZEBULEN HUNT & WM. J. MILLER.

The Honorable Samuel Nelson, Judge. THIS SUIT was brought for intringing the I patents on a Shaking or Vib ating Ash.
Sifter, and the combination of a Sifting and Ash.
Pan in the hearth of a Cooking Stove, an injunction was granted restraining their uss. Messrs.
Hunt & Miller have now arranged for a license, and will hereafter manufacture and sell under a license from us. All other persons are contioned against manufacturing, selling, or using Stoves with these improvements, as all in

fringements will be promptly prosecuted. SHEAR, PACKARD & CO., For Sale by D. M. WALKER,

ST, ALBANS, VT.

HOUGHTON'S OYSTER HOUSE. Every Morning.

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BALTIMORE OYSTIRS KEG, QUARTOR GALLON, Lake Street, St. Oct. I 1868.

Goldsmith & Seavey,

GADCOMB'S BUILDING, NORTH MAIN St., ST. ALBANS, Vt. Life, Fire, Inland and Accidental Insurance effected in Reliable

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WARM MEALS or Lunches served at all hours, in the best style. Fresh Baltimore Oysters.

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For turther particulars enquire of me.

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COMMERCIAL College Rooms; possession given Sept., 1st. Three Rooms easy of access, and very pleasant situation for Club Rooms or offices.

BETWEEN Fulton Market, St. Albans, and the Fair Ground, or on it, a dark colored morrocco wallet, containing \$151, and a receipt from Severance & Co., Boston, to E. C. Gallar. The finder will receive a reward of \$50 on returning the wallet to E. C. GALLAR.

St. Albans 19th Sept., 1868.

TELEGRAPH

For the Vermont Transcript,

LATEST NEWS!

FIRE IN NEW YORK.

Gen. Grant's Movements.

Murder in Charlestown.

NEW YORK, 4th. A fire broke ou. this morning at three o'clock, in the Theatre Comique, Broadway, but the flames were extinguished before the building was badly damaged, with the exception of the stage and scenery, which was nearly all des-

troyed. The amount of loss, and cause of the

fire are not yet ascertained. Judge Fullerton left here yesterday for Washington, with another batch of affidavits to prove collusion on the part . of revenue officials in the whiskey

A Havana letter states that after the battle of Cobre, one of the rebel leaders urged his men to accept the amnesty

offered them. The revolutionists are represented as being sanguine of success.

Work on the Central Pacific R. R. is progressing rapidly, and no interruption is anticipated this winter. The west branch of the Northern Missouri R. R , to the Minersville Junction of the Cameron Road, was completed 3

days ago, and trains now run regularly over it. A St. Paul, Minn., despatch of to-day says: There are from two to three feet of snow on the Upper Minnesota River, and that it snowed for three days and

nights incessantly. A Government supply trail was snow

bound on the Yellow Medicine River. NEW YORK, 4th. Port au Prince advices to November 19th state that the American schooner F. D. Hart, from New York, was cap-

entiring the harbor of St. Marcs. The eargo was partly sold on account of the Government. The American Consul protested against the seizure, but was insulted for his

tured by the man of war Salnave, while

pains. Some excitement has ensued in consequence. A British and a French war vessel

were to sail for Gonaives, to protect foreign interests. An English brig was seized under similar circumstances, but the British Charge d'Affaires had claimed, and

would probably receive possession of A paymaster's clerk in one of the vessels at the Brooklyn navy yald is reputed to have absconded with \$12,000 obtained on a check left to blank by the

paymaster,

PLYMOUTH, Mass., 4th, The trial of Andrews for the murder of Holmes is still progressing. The testimony is regarded as crushing against the prisoner. The opinion is now gen-GENERAL INSURANCE AGENTS, eral that the murder was premeditated.

Boston, 4th. Gen. Grant left this city at 9 a.m., by

special train for Lowell, The City Government came down by special train this a. m., to escort the Gen, to Lowell. There were about 50 persons comprising the escort at Lowell. The whole party were taken in carriagea to visit the Merrimack mills ; they also visited the Carpet Works and the Law-

rence mills. The Gen. and party left Lowell for Boston at twelve o'clock; the party were served with a collation on board the train.

Boston, 4th.

This morning, a shocking murder took place in Furbush's fat factory, Charlestown, Two men, brothers-inlaw, were at work quietly together, when one went out; he returned soon afterwards with a cleaver, and deliberately cut his unsuspecting companion's head off; the latter was, at the time of the murder, at work over a chopping block. The murderer then escaped. The murdered man was to testify against the other in some petty civil suit, and this is supposed to have been the cause of the

The name of the murdered man is Dennis Cronan; the murderer's name

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.

GO TO WM. N. SMITH & CO'S for your

WM. N. SMITH. St. Albans, Aug. 3, 1868. LOST. Gold 1351.

> ROYS HATS. ROYS CAPS. SHORT FROCKS of all kinds, just received WM. N. SMITH, &CO'S